FORM PTO-1390 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER 10936-90 TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES U.S. APPLIC. NO. (if known, see 37 CFR 1.5) DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) 0/540834 **CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371** INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 27 December 2002 PCT/JP2003/016333 19 December 2003 Production Process and Washing Method of Poly(Arylene Sulfide), and Purification Process of Organic Solvent Used TITLE OF INVENTION in Washing APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US SATO, Hiroyuki; KAWASAKI, Tatsuya; NAKAZAWA, Yasushi Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: M This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. 1. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. 2. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) 図 3. and (21) indicated below. The U.S. has been elected. 4. 5. \boxtimes A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) a. is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). b. As been transmitted by the International Bureau. (22 July 2004) c. \square is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US) An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). \boxtimes 6. Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) 7. \boxtimes a.

are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). b. have been transmitted by the International Bureau. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendment has NOT expired. d. have not been made and will not be made. An English translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). 8. An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). 9 \boxtimes An English translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)). П Items 11. to 20. below concern other document(s) or information included: An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. 11. An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. 12. \boxtimes 13. A FIRST preliminary amendment. A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment. 14. An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76. 15. П A substitute specification. 16. A change of power of attorney and/or address letter. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825. 17. A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). 18.

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